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## SOCIETY

RETURNS TO NEW YORK HOME.

The President entertained a few men friends informally at dinner last night on the terrace of the White House.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Belmont are at their cottage in Bear Harbor, where they will stay until they go to Newport late in August.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Beale McLean, who are now at their summer place at Bear Harbor, will go to Newport the latter part of next week for a visit to the Russian Ambassador and Mrs. Bakmeteff.

Mr. and Mrs. William Barrett Ridgely are at the Maplewood, Pittsfield, Mass.

The Assistant Secretary of State and Mrs. Huntington Wilson have taken possession of their cottage at Newport.

District Commissioner and Mrs. John A. Johnston have left Washington on their yacht for their summer place at New London, Conn. Mrs. Summerlin, daughter of Commissioner and Mrs. Johnston, and wife of the Secretary of the American Embassy at Tokyo, who is now in the West with her children, will join her parents at New London shortly after their arrival there.

Mr. A. Mitchell Jones, Lord Eustace, Percy, and Mr. A. Kerr Clark Kerr, all of the British Embassy staff, are spending their vacation camping out in Kinross Woods, Maine.

Mrs. William Cummings Story and Miss Florence G. Finch, who have been visitors in San Francisco at the Biennial, and guests of honor at many social functions there, have returned to their home in Gramercy Park, N. Y.

Representative Augustus P. Gardner has returned to Washington after a visit to his home, "Sagamore Farm," Hamilton, Mass.

Mrs. F. R. Gilmore, of New York City, formerly of Washington, is spending this week with Mrs. De Vo at her home in Harvard Street. Mrs. Gilmore is the former soprano contralto soloist at St. Patrick's Church, of this city, and Mrs. De Vo is the soprano soloist at St. Thomas' Church.

Mrs. Reynolds Hitt, wife of the American Minister to Panama, is now at the Esplanade, Berlin, Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Reed, of Brentwood, Md., announce the marriage on Tuesday, July 9, of their daughter, Miss Margaret Reed, to Mr. Richard C. Wellington. The ceremony took place at St. Charles' Church, Clarendon, Va., the Rev. F. P. Lackey officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Wellington left immediately after the ceremony for Pittsburgh, Pa., where they will be guests of relatives and friends for some time.

Mr. J. Butler Wright, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. C. R. Wright, and his son, Mr. J. Butler Wright, Jr., are now at White Sulphur Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Finley and the Misses Finley are now at their cottage at Newport, R. I.

Mrs. Ransom S. Cable is the guest of Mrs. Walter Cobb at Lenox, Mass.

Mrs. James M. Barbour and Miss Margaret Barbour are now at Narragansett Pier for the rest of the summer. Mrs. Barbour and Miss Barbour spent the spring and early summer at Atlantic City.

Representative and Mrs. John Joseph Kindred are now at their summer home in the Catskills, Alta Vista, Sunapee Park, Hazen Falls, N. Y. Representative Kindred will join a party of friends on a hunting trip in Canada later in the season.

Viscount and Viscountess Sibour are the guests of the Dewar Countess de Sibour at Chuwana, Narragansett Pier.

Mrs. Charles B. Howry and Miss Howry, wife and daughter of Judge Howry, are now at White Sulphur Springs for a stay of a number of weeks.

Mrs. Richard Townsend will go to Bear Harbor in a day or two, where she will be the guests of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Goetzlerry, in their cottage there.

Mrs. Fred Dennett and Mr. Rodney Dennett, wife and son of the Commissioner of the Land Office, will sail from New York for Antwerp Friday. Miss Dorothy Dennett, who has been in school at West-gate-on-the-Sea, England, will meet her mother and brother and go with them to Paris for a visit of a number of weeks. Mr. Dennett and her son and daughter will return to this country in the fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanna Taylor and Miss Hanna Taylor will leave Washington this week for Old Sweet Springs, Va., where they will spend the summer.

Miss Emily Beatty, daughter of Rear Admiral and Mrs. Beatty, of Washington, is now the guest of Miss Caperton, the daughter of the commandant of the Newport Navy Yard. Rear Admiral and Mrs. Beatty will go to Maine the middle of August to spend several weeks in camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis P. Dalley will leave to-day for Atlantic City to be gone for two weeks. They will stop in Philadelphia on their way to the seashore.

## COMMENT ON NAVAL PLANS.

German Press Gives Much Space to Russia's Policy.

Berlin, July 14.—The effect of Russia's significant naval programme (\$1,500,000,000) is to be spent in five years on German naval policy is attracting widespread attention in the German press. Count Reventlow in the Deutsche Tageszeitung, says: "From a military standpoint the rise of such a colossal naval power in the Baltic cannot, of course, be overlooked. From the German standpoint, however, it must be remembered that relations between the German and Russian navies have been continuously good and appear to be based on mutual confidence. It is, indeed, within the range of possibility that they will take a still more positive form in the future. The Russian fleet is only in the first stages of its restoration. When it is completed the international situation may be such that a Russian strong at sea will be useful and desirable for Germany. No matter what the future may bring forth, we shall, as before, allow anxiety over foreign naval expansion to be the traditional specialty of the English."

## Princess "Pat" Coming.

New York, July 14.—Princess Patricia of Connaught, it is reported, will visit Newport as the guest of Commodore and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt next month, and society in America's summer capital is more excited over the princess' second visit to the United States than it has been over anything that has occurred in Newport for a long time.

When the ground is covered with snow, in at least one city in Norway, a trackless trolley car hauls as a trailer, a passenger car mounted on runners.



MRS. WILLIAM CUMMINGS STORY.

## EVA TANGUAY IN THRILLING SCENE.

Cyclonic Comedienne Subdues Mad Dog with Own Hands and a Hose.

New York, July 14.—Eva Tanguay has leaped into the heroine class.

She did it with the aid of a Boston bull pup, her own two hands, and a water hose.

It is no safe thing these hot and humid days to grapple with a dog which shows every symptom of hydrophobia and bring the snarling, snapping animal back to a normally peaceful and loving disposition.

Yet that is what the cyclonic comedienne did yesterday morning at her summer home at Beachhurst, Long Island. This bull pup is Miss Tanguay's particular pet and its welfare and comfort are matters of great concern in the Tanguay ménage.

The vaudeville star is spending her summer vacation at Beachhurst, Long Island, and doing road work to be in condition to earn that \$2,000 per week for forty weeks beginning around September 1.

The bull pup is her companion upon these energetic outings, or at least he was until yesterday.

Sunrise yesterday morning found Eva, Joseph H. Schenck, and the dog doing a brisk trot from Beachhurst to Bayside and back. It may have been noticed that yesterday morning was hot and then again some more hot. On the return journey the dog began to froth at the mouth, snap, and exhibit other signs of distress.

He did not go wild, however, until they reached the house. Then he rushed madly about snapping at whoever and whatever was in his path. The negro butler climbed a tree and the chauffeur climbed up a pillar of the porch.

Schenck grabbed a gun and an Indian club. As this belittled sight, Miss Tanguay rushed between Schenck and the dog and grabbed the latter by the neck, barely missing being bitten, as her hands and wrists were covered with the froth from his mouth.

She dragged the struggling animal into the cellar and then, holding him firmly by the scruff of the neck with one hand, she unlimbered the hose with the other and turned the water on him.

It took nearly an hour of this treatment before the dog became quiet. Miss Tanguay was thoroughly exhausted by this time herself, and relieved herself by indulging in a comforting fit of hysterics.

## FOOLS ENGLISH SPORTSMEN.

Lord Ashby St. Ledgers Palms Brother Off as Self in Tourney.

London, July 14.—Atop the many other surprising facts that have worried sporting Englishmen this week comes the revelation that the real victor in the Earle Court tournament of two nights ago was not Lord Ashby St. Ledgers, as the Tournament Herald had proclaimed, but his brother, Capt. Hon. Frederick

Lord St. Ledgers, it appears, had been playing a hard game of polo in the afternoon and was feeling exhausted when time came for his appearance in the lists.

At the last moment he asked the captain to take his place in the jousts and was accommodated. Lord Ledgers, himself, acted as his brother's henchman and no one was the wiser until the truth leaked out to-day.

The trade of Newfoundland shows rapid increases.

## ENGLISH DUPED, SAYS DR. BODE.

Announces Supposed Rembrandt in London National Gallery Is a Copy.

London, July 14.—Dr. Bode announces that a supposed Rembrandt in the National Gallery in London is really a copy, made by one of Rembrandt's pupils at the Leyden Studio, and that the picture in the Kaiser Friedrich Museum in Berlin, hitherto thought a copy, is the original.

The painting in question is a portrait of Rembrandt's father, painted during the artist's youth.

Dr. Bode is very positive in his declaration that the National Gallery portrait is merely a copy. The Berlin critics are waiting to hear what the London experts have to say.

Dr. Wilhelm Bode, director of the Kaiser Friedrich Museum in Berlin, is an art expert whose authority was greatly shaken in Germany by his statement that a bust in the Berlin Art Gallery was the work of Leonardo da Vinci.

The bust in question was purchased in London by Dr. Bode, and had been in the possession of a private family for many years. Dr. Bode's declaration regarding the authenticity of the bust was received with considerable amusement here, being that the bust was the work of R. C. Leake, who died in 1853.

## BEATS SON TO BRIDE.

Senior Ignatz Engles Beats Heir in Race for Widow's Hand.

Paris, July 14.—Competition between father and son for the hand of the widow of the late Jeremiah J. Mullen, of New York, has resulted in the father vanquishing the son and the announcement of their approaching marriage has been made.

Mrs. Mullen is a daughter of John Fisk, of 194 Seventh Avenue, New York. One night at the opera in New York Senior Ignatz Engles, an Italian visiting America on some work for his government, and his son Titio saw Mrs. Mullen in a box and both father and son simultaneously became enamored of her.

So much so that learning that Mrs. Mullen was to sail for Europe in a few days, they booked passage to follow her. On board Mrs. Mullen showed a decided preference for the son, to the chagrin of the father, but finally the more experienced pleading of the father won out, and their wedding will take place within two months.

Cooking is one of the subjects taught Alaskan natives in the government schools administered by the United States Bureau of Education. Among the dishes to which the pupils are introduced is doughnuts, which they are taught to fry with seal oil as a substitute for lard.

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## STARS WONDER WHO IS LEADING WOMAN

Frohman's London Theater Has at Least Four Actresses Entitled to the Honor.

London, July 14.—Who is the leading woman of Charles Frohman's company at the Duke of York's Theater? This is the awful problem which Frohman's representatives at this theater are trying to solve. Pauline Chase, Phyllis Neilson-Terry, and Marie Lohr are all appearing with great success in Pinero's old play, "The Amazons," and the atmosphere behind the scenes has dropped to zero. Miss Chase, who for years played Peter Pan at the Duke of York's Theater, and elsewhere, thinks she is the leading woman and therefore has appropriated the star's dressing room. This is bitterly resented by Miss Neilson-Terry, who as a star, lent by Sir Herbert Tree, cannot understand why she should not occupy the room in question. Marie Lohr has reminded Miss Terry that she was a leading woman long before the fair daughter of Julia Neilson and Fred Terry made her debut. Moreover, to complicate matters Elliot Jeffreys is also appearing in "The Amazons," and she was leading woman in England and America long before any of her three more youthful comrades was ever heard of. Her attitude, however, is strictly natural and dignified.

## TICKET SCANDAL STIRS OLD LONDON

Every One Is Asking Themselves: Who Is Mrs. Meadows? Accused of Ascot Trafficking.

London, July 14.—"Is Mrs. Meadows a myth?" That is the question all society is asking, for Meadows is the name now mentioned in the newspapers as the culprit in the Ascot royal enclosure ticket scandal.

No one has ever heard of Mrs. Meadows. Some say she is a fictitious character invented by the Lord Chamberlain to strike home a lesson to the minds of numerous society women guilty of trafficking in these enclosure tickets. More probably Mrs. Meadows is some more or less obscure woman, possibly from the province, who is being made a scapegoat because the authorities hesitate to prosecute real and notorious offenders.

These number at least one duchess, who is strongly suspected of "arranging" badges for her numerous girl proteges and other friends, besides a well known viscountess, who sells badges at \$60 each for the benefit of a charitable institution, and another distinguished woman who actually was seen the other day passing a large through the enclosure railings, but who, owing to her relationship to important personages, could hardly be prosecuted without a grave scandal.

Then there is a fourth woman, one of the late King's intimate friends, and several other prominent society women, who are shaking in their shoes.

## NEWS OF ALEXANDRIA

Electrical Storm Causes Great Damage—Houses Flooded and Telephone Service Affected.

Alexandria, Va., July 14.—This city was at 6:30 o'clock this evening visited by an unusually severe rainstorm, accompanied by thunder and lightning, which lasted for an hour. It was the worst storm of the season. During the progress of the storm the streets and sidewalks were quickly converted into waterbaths, cellars in many instances being flooded. Traffic on the electric railway was seriously interrupted as a result of the storm.

Passengers aboard the train which left Mount Vernon at 4:30 o'clock this evening encountered the storm during their trip up just after leaving the Duke, two miles south of this city. While the train was crossing the electric railway bridge over Hunting Creek a telegraph pole against the motor car, slightly damaging it and causing consternation among the passengers in the front car, most of whom were women.

Motorman George W. Purgoy escaped injury by jumping to one side. On South Royal Street from King Street to the end of that thoroughfare the street was flooded, water at the extreme end of that thoroughfare being about 18 inches high at the hub of the average wagon. Small houses on the lower end of the street were flooded.

A large tree in front of the residence of P. M. Hamilton, 212 South Royal Street, was blown down during the storm. The suburbs north of Alexandria suffered considerable damage by floods.

Telephone in every section of the city was put out of commission as a result of the storm. A force of employees will start to work to-morrow morning repairing the telephones.

About 125 delegates will attend the ninth annual convention of the State Association of the Retail Merchants' Association, which will convene in this city Wednesday next, and conclude its deliberations at noon Thursday with the annual election of officers and the selection of a city for the next annual convention.

The sessions of the convention will be held in the Young People's building of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, and will be presided over by Samuel Cohen, president, of Richmond, Va.

During their stay in this city the delegates will be entertained by the members of the local association. Among the features planned for their visit Wednesday evening to Marshall Hall, where dinner will be served. Other features are also planned. Courtney Acton is chairman of the entertainment committee, and Charles Swann is chairman of the committee of arrangements for the reception of the delegates.

There is considerable speculation among the members of the police department as to who will be chosen for the three positions of sergeant on the police force at a meeting of the commissioners which will be held next Wednesday night.

The State Legislature at its last session, in conformity with a recent request of the city council, changed the city charter so as to have the police force consist of a chief and as many sergeants as the board of commissioners may see fit.

Among those prominently spoken of for the positions are: Lieut. Frank J. Betts, Policemen Roberts, Wilkinson, Rollins, Beach, and Gill.

Plans for a regatta which will be held July 27, next, will be made at a meeting of the Alexandria Motor Boat Association, which will be held to-morrow night.

It is expected that a large number of members of the club will enter the contest with their boats. Already considerable enthusiasm is being mani-

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